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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
CHIORI MOCHIZUKI ) Examiner: Unassigned  
Application No.: Based on ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
JP-307033/1998 :  
Filed: Herewith :  
For: IMAGE PICK-UP :  
APPARATUS AND IMAGE )  
PICK-UP SYSTEM, AND :  
METHOD FOR )  
MANUFACTURING IMAGE :  
PICK-UP APPARATUS ) October 21, 1999

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 5, line 24, delete "an".

Page 6~~✓~~ line 2, delete "an";

after line 3, insert --FIG. 4B denotes a

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schematic cross section for describing another example of the  
manufacturing step of the image pick-up apparatus. --; and

line 5, delete "an".

Page 7, ~~line~~ 2, delete "an";